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**123rd Legislature (2006-2008)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 2291 / SP0912

An Act To Amend Teacher Confidentiality Laws. (GOVERNOR'S BILL). Presented by Senator BOWMAN of York. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs. Public Hearing 04/02/08. Majority (OTP-AM) Accepted 04/14/08. Amended by: CCA H-1024. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 04/18/08, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 666.

**Original Bill**

[LD 2291 \(123rd Legis. 2008\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law**

[LD 2291 / PL 2007, c. 666](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf123-LD-2291.pdf)

**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(S-577\) \(LD 2291 2008\) \(Majority\)](#)

[Amendment CB \(S-578\) \(LD 2291 2008\) \(Minority\)](#)

[Amendment HA/CA \(H-998\) \(LD 2291 2008\)](#)

[Amendment SA/CA \(S-624\) \(LD 2291 2008\)](#)

[Amendment CCA \(H-1024\) \(LD 2291 2008\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, April 1, 2008 \(H1358-1374\)](#)

- p. H-1373

[SENATE, April 1, 2008 \(S1760-1772\)](#)

- p. S-1761

[SENATE, April 8, 2008 \(S1853-1874\)](#)

- p. S-1866 (Amendment(s) S-577, S-578)

[SENATE, April 8, 2008 \(S1853-1874\)](#)

- p. S-1871 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 1873)) (Amendment(s) S-577, S-578)

[HOUSE, April 9, 2008 \(H1491-1530\)](#)

- p. H-1495 (Amendment(s) S-577, S-578)

[HOUSE, April 9, 2008 \(H1491-1530\)](#)

- p. H-1496 (Amendment(s) S-577, S-578)

[HOUSE, April 10, 2008 \(H1531-1545\)](#)

- p. H-1544 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) S-577, S-578)

[HOUSE, April 14, 2008 \(H1571-1584\)](#)

- p. H-1583 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) S-577, S-624)

[SENATE, April 14, 2008 \(S1971-1997\)](#)

- p. S-1971 (Amendment(s) S-577, S-578)

[SENATE, April 14, 2008 \(S1971-1997\)](#)

- p. S-1993 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) S-577, S-578, S-624 (p 1994))

[HOUSE, April 15, 2008 \(H1585-1619\)](#)

- p. H-1607 (2)

[SENATE, April 15, 2008 \(S1998-2024\)](#)

- p. S-1998 (Amendment(s) S-577, S-624)

[SENATE, April 15, 2008 \(S1998-2024\)](#)

- p. S-2008

[HOUSE, April 16, 2008 \(H1620-1658\)](#)

- p. H-1656 (Amendment(s) S-577, H-1024)

[SENATE, April 16, 2008 \(S2025-2053\)](#)

- p. S-2045 (Amendment(s) S-577, H-1024)

[HOUSE, April 17, 2008 \(H1659-1707\)](#)

- p. H-1669 (Amendment(s) H-1024)

[SENATE, April 17, 2008 \(S2054-2091\)](#)

- p. S-2065 (Amendment(s) H-1024)

#### **Enacted Law or Resolve**

[PL 2007, c. 666](#)

#### **Reports and Other Related Documents**

[Office of Policy and Legal Analysis. Staff Report: A Study of Laws in Other States that Permit the Dissemination of Confidential Information Pertaining to Teacher Certification \(October 27, 2008\)](#)

#### **News Articles**

Altering teacher confidentiality law supported (Adams, Glenn) (Portland Press Herald, 4/3/2008) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 123/LD22xx/nc123-ld-2291/SB1232294.pdf)

Problem teachers target of new bill (Adams, Glenn) (Bangor Daily News, 4/3/2008) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 123/LD22xx/nc123-ld-2291/SB1232297.pdf)

Certification decisions (Bangor Daily News, 4/4/2008) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 123/LD22xx/nc123-ld-2291/SB1232307.pdf)

Teacher records merit fullest disclosure (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 4/11/2008) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 123/LD22xx/nc123-ld-2291/SB1232352.pdf)

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